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AYBE it was just a slow day at CIA. CIA is short for Central Intelligence agency. By its own definition, the CIA mounts a "national intelligence effort to provide foreknowledge."

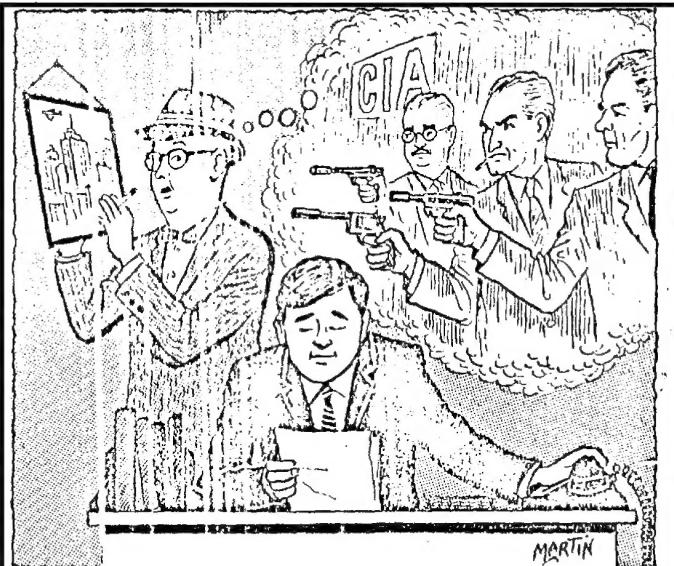
And that is short, in federal lingo, for spy.

But a study of the James Bond type of movie, television and paperback spy thriller builds a person up for a considerable disillusionment when visiting the CIA offices here.

To begin with, the CIA is listed in the phone book. True, it is not listed under SPY in the S's. It is listed alphabetically between what the phone book calls Atomic Energy Comsn and Civil Aeronautics board, under U. S. Government offices.

The phone book listing gives the address of the new federal office building for the agency. On the building directory just inside the main entrance is a listing of government agencies housed there.

CIA does not appear on this



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building directory. But of the Charles Pecinovsky and W. L. hundreds and hundreds and Joseph. hundreds of persons working in the building, only two individuals are named on the board. These are the two CIA men,

Oh well, if a person is going to be a spy, he ought to show some aptitude for the job and the of-  
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